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Madrid, *October* 1, *N. S.*

THE Infanta is very well recovered of her late Indiſpoſition, which proved not to be the Small-Pox, as was apprehended, but a Fever occaſioned by a Cold. Several Roman Medals have been found near St. Ildefonſo, by Workmen who were digging near a River for laying a Foundation of a Bridge; among many others there are three Gold ones of the Empreſs Fauſtina, about fourſcore Silver ones of the Emperours Trajan, Valerian, and Diocleſian, all which have been delivered to his Catholick Majeſty. The Workmen have carryed off a great many more; for at the firſt Diſcovery of them they all ran to the Place where the Medals lay, and ſeized each as many as they could. His Catholick Majeſty has cauſed an Order to be publiſhed, that thoſe who ſhall return all or any of them, ſhall receive threefold the intrinſick Value of them; but as yet very few have been delivered up. On the 23d paſt, being the Birth-Day of the Prince of Aſturias, who then entered into the 13th Year of his Age, a great many of the Grandees and Nobility went from hence to St. Ildefonſo, where they appeared at Court, and kiſſed the Hands of their Catholick Majeſties and the Prince. Letters from Malaga adviſe, that the Marqueſs Mari arrived there on the 19th Inſtant, with a Squadron of four Spaniſh Ships of War under his Command; without having taken any Prize from the Moors whilſt he has been cruizing.

Berlin, *Oct.* 9, *N. S.* The Princeſs Royal of Pruſſia has been very ill theſe eight Days paſt with a violent Cold, but her Royal Highneſs is now in a fair Way of Recovery. This Day arrived here from Conſtantinople, a Perſon ſent by the Grand Vizier with a Preſent of two fine Horſes to the King of Pruſſia. Count Rottembourg, the French Ambaſſadour, is making great Preparations to give a ſplendid Entertainment on Tueſday next to the King of Pruſſia, and all the Perſons of Note at this Court, on his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty's Marriage; which his Excellency has deferred ſo long, waiting for his Equipage from Cambray, which is now arrived. An Expreſs paſſed through this Place on Sunday laſt from Warſaw, in his Way to Hanover, with Diſpatches from Mr. Finch.

Hague, *Oct.* 19, *N. S.* The States of Holland continue aſſembled, without having yet paſſed any Reſolution on the new Tarif and other Affairs which they have principally under their Conſideration. We have Advice that Count de Konigſeck, who is coming hither from the Emperour with the Character of Envoy Extraordinary, is arrived at Bruſſels, from whence he is daily expected here. 'Tis alſo adviſed from Bruſſels, that on the 15th Inſtant Sig. Spinelli, the Pope's Nuncio, had a private Audience of the Archdutcheſs Governeſs, to compliment her on her Arrival; which he did in the Quality of Internuncio, forbearing to take upon him that of Nuncio till he be conſecrated Archbiſhop of Corinth. On the 15th the Marqueſs Roſſi, as Miniſter charged with the Affairs of France, had a like Audience of her Highneſs.

General Poſt-Office, Oct. 7, 1725.

Whereas upon a ſtrict Examination of the Rider, together with the Circumſtances, which are ſince found to agree with his Relation, it does appear that the Croſs-Road Mail which conſtantly goes between Cheſter and Exeter, was really taken away from the Rider upon Sunday the 26th of September laſt, about Three a-Clock in the Morning, by two Men on Horſeback, near Penſford, a Village about ſeven Miles from Briſtol, in the Road to Wells, who carried off the entire Mail, which had in it the Bags of Letters of the ſeveral Towns of Cheſter, Whitchurch, Shrewsbury, Bridgnorth, Bewdley, Kidderminſter, Worceſter, Tewksbury, Glouceſter, Wotten-Underidge, Briſtol, Wells, Bridgwater, Taunton, Wellington, Tiverton and Exeter; and Expreſſes having been immediately, the very ſame Morning, ſent away from Briſtol to Cheſter and Exeter, to give Notice of the Accident to the ſeveral Poſt Towns mentioned, and their Dependencies,